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COL. LINDBERGH FLYING THE MAIL TO CANAL ZONE

Lone Eagle Lands In Honduras
From Miami After Brief
Stop In Havana

BLAZING THE TRAIL FOR NEW AIR ROUTE

Two Days To Cover Twenty-
five Hundred Miles, Saving
Thirteen By Ship

BELEIZE, British Honduras, Feb. 4. (P)—Col. Charles A. Lindbergh landed here today at 2:55 p. m. after a flight from Cuba.

The aviator, who little more than a year ago made the first airplane landing in this colony, was close to his schedule time for this leg of the journey. He flew the 500 miles from Havana averaging the speed set earlier this morning in his flight from Miami, Fla., to Havana.

His Sikorsky amphibian landed in the harbor and under its own power, ran up a ramp completed only this morning, to the landing stage on the beach.

HAVANA, Feb. 4. (P)—Charles A. Lindbergh hopped off for Belize, British Honduras, on the second lap of his inaugural airmail flight to Panama, just one hour and four minutes after his arrival here today from Miami.

The weather was favorable and the colonel hoped to reach Belize by midafternoon. He completed the first lap when he landed at Columbia field at 3:21 o'clock this morning, two hours and 13 minutes after taking off from Miami, Fla.

It was the colonel's twenty-seventh birthday, but his arrival here was completely business-like and there was no pomp or ceremony such as his landing last year when he stopped at Havana in the "Spirit of St. Louis" on his famous tour of the Central American states.

No Ceremony

It was in compliance with the colonel's wishes that he was received at the airport just as a commercial pilot and Cuban government officials who greeted him were there purely in an expert official capacity. Noble Brandon Judah, United States ambassador, was one of those at the field to congratulate him and wish him many returns of the day.

Lindbergh's present flight constitutes the forging of another link in the constantly growing chain of aerial transportation between Latin America in fast transportation and expedition of mails, for the miles will be encompassed in three hops Miami to Havana, to Belize and thence to Cristobal, Canal Zone. It is understood that further plans call for stops at Merida, Mexico, Tegucigalpa and Heredia, Costa Rica. But for the present, the mails will be flown with only the three above mentioned stops and the route followed by Lindbergh will be the one he took last year when he came to Havana. At that time he flew from Panama to Colon and thence over Costa Rica, Nicaragua, Honduras, British Honduras and Mexico.

The route entails a distance of 2,327 miles which, according to airway officials here, will be flown in two days, saving thirteen days on the present mode of sea travel.

Opening of the Miami-Panama airplane service today follows the inauguration last month of the Pan-American railway's West Indian service from Miami to San Juan, Porto Rico.

**SAYS TROTSKY'S DEATH
MUCH EXAGGERATED**

BERLIN, Feb. 4. (P)—Dispatches received here today from Moscow stated that Leon Trotsky was still in Russia and that reports that he had been drowned while crossing the Black sea to Constantinople were without foundation.

POOR PA

By CLAUDE GALLAN



"Ella an' Joe stay so late when they call on us that I let the house get a little cold last night so they'd leave by our bedtime."

THE WEATHER

Paris temperatures Monday: maximum 42; minimum 35; rainfall, .02 inch. Sunday: maximum 39; minimum 30; rainfall, .02 inch.

West Texas: partly cloudy Tuesday and Wednesday.

Oklahoma: cloudy, somewhat warmer Tuesday; Wednesday, cloudy.

East Texas: cloudy, somewhat warmer in north portion Tuesday; Wednesday, cloudy.

LINDY HAS HAND IN BIG AIR ROUTE



May shows the proposed lines of a five-day service to Buenos Aires including the Miami-Havana route through Central America indicated by heavy dotted lines, scheduled to be opened by Col. Charles A. Lindbergh, February 4. Solid lines show routes already in operation. Intersected lines are projected routes which have been surveyed.

JOHNSTON PROBE GOES INTO MONEY SPENT ON PARDON

Committee Searching For Connection Between It And Oklahoma Governor

OKLAHOMA CITY, Feb. 4. (P)—The play money in the pardoning of Dewey Crosswhite, convicted murderer and fugitive from justice, which is the basis of an impeachment charge against Henry S. Johnston, suspended governor, today came under the scrutiny of the house of representatives investigating committee.

Ed Sandlin, Ardmore banker, told the committee that checks totaling \$1,400 were cashed in his bank by T. N. Crosswhite, father of the pardoned man, on December 29, 1928, the day after the pardon was signed by Johnston.

Bank statements and deposit slips showing that J. B. Champion and Charles N. Champion, Ardmore attorneys who handled the pardon case, deposited \$400 and \$300 respectively, soon after the clemency was granted, were introduced in evidence.

Louis Fischl, Carter county representative and a law partner of the Champions, has denied that he profited from the pardon, admitting he was active in helping obtain it. He previously had told the committee he understood the Champions accepted no compensation other than expenses for their services in the case.

Davis Faulk, Marshall county representative, testified several days ago that he had been offered \$1,500 if he would obtain a pardon for Crosswhite, and that he refused.

Sandlin told the committee that the older Crosswhite cashed two checks, one a cashier's check for \$1,200 on a Los Angeles bank. The committee had tried unsuccessfully to learn the whereabouts of Dewey Crosswhite, who has been listed as an escaped convict from the state penitentiary since 1923, when he failed to return from a leave of absence. Employees of the governor's and pardon and parole offices have told the committee that haste was sought in the clemency action to restore Crosswhite's citizenship so he might sail from California for South America on January 1, to take a position with an oil company. The other check was a personal one for \$200, written by Dewey Crosswhite's sister, Sandlin told the committee.

Sold His Clothes; Won't Need Them

COURTROOM, RIVERSIDE, Calif., Feb. 4. (P)—Gordon Stewart Northcott today revealed that he has sold all his clothes except those recently have been wearing in court a costume consisting of corduroy trousers and rough lumberjack shirt.

"If I get life imprisonment or am hanged I won't have any use for clothes," the young Canadian, charged with boy murders at his Wineville, Calif., ranch, he declared. "If I go free I never want to wear those clothes again anyway. They would bring back unpleasant memories."

DALLAS MAN AND WIFE FOUND DEAD IN BED

DALLAS, Feb. 4. (P)—The bodies of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Freeland were found in their home here today. A gas heater was burning in the bed room where the bodies, apparently dead since Saturday night, were found. Earl Douglas, Mrs. Freeland's brother, made the discovery when he went to the Freeland home, after Freeland failed to appear this morning at an ice plant where he is employed.

Youth With 100 Sweethearts to Die for Murder

LIVERPOOL, Eng., Feb. 4. (P)—Joseph Reginald Victor Clarke, 21, who had an adventurous career in Europe and the United States, and was known as "the boy with a hundred sweethearts," was sentenced to death today for the murder of Mrs. Alice Fontaine.

It took the court just four and one-half minutes to try, convict and sentence the youth who had pleaded guilty to killing the woman, with whom he boarded by strangulation.

Young Clarke was stated to have had a brilliant school career and to have visited his mother in Virginia when he was sixteen. He was said to have spent a year at Princeton university and then to have returned to England at the age of seventeen.

He studied psychology and hypnosis, particularly, and, police said, then began to entangle numerous women over whom he exercised powers. They kept him from financial worries. Dozens of young women in Liverpool became his dupes. He also was said to have victims in Southampton and Halifax, Nova Scotia.

In the case of Mrs. Fontaine he boarded without payment when courting her daughter, fleeced her of her life savings and eventually murdered her.

BOOTH ACCEPTS COUNCIL INVITE

Reported He Will Send A Representative To Defend Him Before That Body

LONDON, Feb. 4. (P)—The high council of the Salvation Army, restrained by a recent ruling of the Chancery court from deposing General Bramwell Booth as head of the army until he was given an opportunity to be heard, held an informal meeting today.

Fifty-four of the councillors who had adjudicated him as unfit to continue in office because of the state of his health considered a reply from the General to an invitation extended to him to hear his representative in accordance with the court's decision.

The General's answer was authoritatively stated to consist of a formal acceptance of the invitation, but no date nor the name of his chosen advocate was mentioned.

It now seems unlikely that the council will conclude its business this week as had been urged.

Montgomery is Seated in House

AUSTIN, Feb. 4. (P)—Acting on motion of Beck of Fort Worth the house today voted to seat Rep. W. R. Montgomery of Edinburg, whose seating in the 41st legislature had been opposed by E. N. Smith of Hidalgo county.

Smith, Montgomery's general election opponent, alleged Montgomery had been swept into office on a tide of illegal balloting. Montgomery was assured his post without further inquiry by a vote of 91 to 21. A previous motion of Rep. Metcalfe of San Angelo, in which the contestants would have been ordered to bring witnesses before the house committee at their own expense, was buried under negative votes.

HOOVER TO LOOK OVER FLOOD CONTROL AREA

MIAMI BEACH, Fla., Feb. 4. (P)—President-elect Hoover decided today to make a personal inspection of the Okaloosa district of Florida to get first hand information as to the needs for flood control in that section where 2,000 people were drowned during the 1928 storm.

BOOTLEGGER OF "HIGH TYPE" NOT TO BE AFFECTED

Senators Absent Saturday Try To Get Reconsideration of The Martin Bill

AUTHOR WOULD STOP CORRUPTING YOUTH

House Resists Attacks On Graves Bill Which Concerns Search Warrants

AUSTIN, Feb. 4. (P)—The senate today learned from some of its members their sentiments concerning the Martin "anti-bootleg" bill passed Saturday in their absence.

Former absentees joined the fight to have the bill recalled from the house for reconsideration, but the senate refused by a vote 15 to 11.

The bill would permit prosecution for unlawful sale or delivery of intoxicants in any county to which or through which they were transported. Senator Stevenson voted for the bill Saturday in recognition of the fact that he might move to reconsider today, when his ranks were reinforced. He declared since the days of the Magna Charta, a man had been entitled to trial in the county where the offense had been committed.

Wirtz, who was absent Saturday, said "I don't care what you do to the bootlegger, but I do care what you do to the established rights of the people."

Martin took the position that the bill was discussed fully Saturday and that the unanimity of the vote that day showed reconsideration would be useless.

"This bill will not affect the high type bootlegger," Martin asserted. "It is aimed at the degenerate bootlegger who is corrupting the youth of our state."

House Unanimously

AUSTIN, Feb. 4. (P)—Whatever doubts existed as to the attitude of the house toward dry legislation were removed today when members successfully resisted an attack on the Graves bill relating to search warrants and set the stage for final action on the measure, which was ordered engrossed.

Providing that warrants may be issued "on belief of credible persons," the bill was hailed by its supporters as a move which would "unshackle" officers in conducting raids.

Representatives Graves and Forbes, the latter a Weatherford minister, called on "friends of prohibition to free the hands of officers from shackles" which they declared existed only in relation to searches for liquor.

In the midst of his plea for support, Representative Forbes was interrupted by Representative Gates of Runge, who asked: "Isn't it dry enough for you? It sure is for me."

"No, sir," Forbes replied. "We want to make it bone dry in Texas."

The attack on the measure was led by Representative Anderson of San Antonio, Kenyon of Galveston and Hopkins of Gonzales.

AUSTIN, Feb. 4. (P)—Claiming that state-owned automobiles have been used in recent years for political purposes, Representative Kelle of Dallas today introduced a bill which would make operation of a vehicle belonging to the state in this manner punishable by a fine varying from \$100 to \$1,000.

The bill provides that if campaign literature is carried by an employee in a state automobile, the penalty shall be doubled.

AUSTIN, Feb. 4. (P)—The Graves bill making drunkenness in any place punishable by a jail sentence, which failed to pass the house committee on criminal jurisprudence, was cast in the legislature today.

The bill provided specifically that intoxication in a private home should be punished by a light jail term.

Proponents claimed the measure would block excessive drinking of "home brew."

DE RIVERA DECLARES REVOLT IS SUPPRESSED

MADRID, Feb. 14. (P)—King Alfonso and the council of ministers were today told by General Primo de Rivera that all rebels had submitted to the authorities and that order had been reestablished throughout Spain. In informing the Associated Press of this the prime minister added that there remained for determination only the questions of who were responsible for the revolt and what penalties would be applied.

GET LIFE SENTENCES FOR BANK ROBBERY

FLINT, Mich., Feb. 4. (P)—Mike Jergovitch, Detroit, and Larry Redmond, Ferndale, today, were sentenced to life imprisonment for the robbery of the State Bank at Mount Morris, Mich., last Monday.

They pleaded guilty.

Jergovitch and Redmond were captured within a few minutes after holding up the bank when their automobile skidded and was wrecked.

OHIO'S TREASURER CONVICTED OF LAW VIOLATION



The trial of Bert Buckley, state treasurer of Ohio, charged with conspiracy to violate the prohibition laws and attempting to bribe a federal official, resulted in conviction. Photo shows the jury which decided the state treasurer's fate and inset of Buckley.

EUROPE SWEEP BY STORMS AND COLD, MANY DEAD

Sea Disaster Claims Twenty-six; Many Freeze To Death In Blizzards

LONDON, Feb. 4. (P)—At least forty-four persons met death in Europe over a week end of unrelenting storm and cold conditions. The Balkan states and Turkey being particularly heavy sufferers.

Shipping was everywhere deranged, especially in the Black sea where numerous minor wrecks were reported.

The most serious disaster was off the coast of Portugal where the German freighter Deister foundered yesterday after being driven on the rocks during a violent gale. The crew of 23 assembled on the topmost deck, but a huge wave hurled twenty of them into the sea. The remaining six went down with their vessel.

The second largest disaster was in the Russian Turkestan town of Alma Ata, where a landslide on Saturday swept eleven persons to their deaths. It was in this town that Leon Trotsky, former leader of the Red army, was in exile for many months.

Four workmen sent to clear the tracks of the Simpon Express in Thracian Turkey were frozen to death and the work of digging out the train, which has been blocked by snow for three days, was called off.

Three Freeze To Death.

Three persons were frozen to death in Budapest and many others were suffering from exposure. It was the coldest day in fifty years, the temperature dropping to 29 below zero Centigrade in some places in Hungary.

While London groped through a choking fog, which was the worst of the winter, a belt of bitter cold wrapped itself around Europe and Asia. Shipping along the China coast was bucking an icy barrier thirty miles out to sea and clear across Europe and Asia there was a cold wave which has not been surpassed for a generation.

The third day of the worst blizzard in twenty-five years cut Constantinople completely off from the world by land and sea. The Soviet steamer Krasny Flot, aboard which Leon Trotsky, former head of the Red army, but now an exile, is believed to be a passenger, had taken refuge near the entrance to the Bosphorus and was unable to reach Constantinople.

OHIO TREASURER IS FOUND GUILTY

Jury Affirms Ten Counts Charging Attempts to Bribe Prohibition Administration

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Feb. 4. (P)—Motions for a new trial and to arrest execution of sentence for State Treasurer Bert B. Buckley, convicted by a jury last Saturday night of attempted bribery and conspiracy to violate the prohibition laws, were filed in federal court today by Henry A. Williams, one of Buckley's attorneys.

The state treasurer was found guilty on ten counts of an indictment charging that he conspired with John L. Schrimper, and Adolph A. Gruber, Cincinnati attorneys, and Joseph Sperber, Cincinnati brewmaster, to offer bribes of money and influence to acting Assistant Prohibition Administrator John F. Eckhart in return for tips on impending raids and inspections of the Jackson Brewing company, at Cincinnati.

May Censor Talks

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 4. (P)—The State Supreme Court today upheld the right of the Pennsylvania state board of censors to censor "sound films."

Two Oklahoma Women Suicide Over Week End

OKLAHOMA CITY, Feb. 4. (P)—The bodies of two young women, who committed suicide here over the weekend, were en route today to their respective homes in Texas and Arkansas for burial.

The body of Mrs. Fern Bussinger, 22, who died yesterday by taking an overdose of an anesthetic, was being taken to Corsicana, Texas, where her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Simpson, live.

She was separated from her husband, Robert Bussinger, but had had Sunday dinner with him at a cafe. She leaves a son, Robert, Jr., 4.

Miss Marguerite Wilson, 20, a stenographer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Wilson of Gentry, Ark., shot herself Saturday night in the law office of C. W. Myers, where she was employed.

CONFESS MURDER NINE YEARS GONE

Confession Made By Man Who Said His Conscience Troubled Him

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Feb. 4. (P)—Two men were held in jail here today for questioning in connection with the murder nine years ago of Charles S. Thurston, the slain man's brother, Howard Thurston, the magician, opened a week's engagement at a local theatre.

Last Saturday, nine years to the day that Charles E. Thurston, Pennsylvania railroad detective, was shot by box car burglars in the railroad yards here, Noah Burns, 40, confessed his part in the slaying and implicated Robert Stone, 48, officers said.

They arrested Stone and in his home they found hanging on the wall a picture of Thurston, the magician, with a large question mark drawn above it.

Burns said his conscience had troubled him for nine years and that he could stand the strain no longer. He related that he and Stone were burglarizing a box car when Thurston came upon them. Burns said Stone shot Thurston.

Houston Dragnet Gets Many Fish

HOUSTON, Feb. 4. (P)—With 219 men and women arrested between 7 p. m. Saturday and 7 a. m. Monday, police here today were engaged in a determined effort to check hijacking, safe cracking and petty thievery in Houston.

Some 15 persons were being quizzed in the murder and robbery of O. E. Thornburg, filling station operator. Mike Piller, negro, was identified by W. P. Passmore as the man who Friday night held him up and took \$50.

MRS. LINDBERGH VISITS HOME OF CHRIS. COLUMBUS

GENOA, Italy, Feb. 4. (P)—Mrs. Evangeline Lindbergh, mother of the famous aviator, arrived here today aboard the steamer Fredonia, spending six months in Constantinople where she taught chemistry at the American college.

Mrs. Lindbergh will leave for Marseilles tomorrow and thence will proceed directly to New York. During her stay here today she visited the house of another transatlantic pioneer—Christopher Columbus.

MINISTERS OPPOSED TO HORSE RACE "DONATION"

DALLAS, Feb. 4. (P)—Opposition to the bill now before the legislature to legalize the "donation" system of investing in horse races was expressed by twenty Dallas ministers who organized here today to oppose the bill. Dr. W. D. Bradford of the faculty of Southern Methodist university was made head of the group.

THREAT NOT TO DETER BOLTER BILL BACKERS

Sponsors Will Push Measure To Bar Irregulars as Party Candidates

AUSTIN, Feb. 4. (P)—The threat of Alvin Moody of Houston and other anti-Tammany Democrats, to leave the Democratic party and cross swords with the regulars either as independents or as fusionists with the Republicans, will not deter sponsors of the bill barring bolters from the Democratic primary, now pending before the Texas legislature.

Senator Martin of Hillsboro, who fathered the bill in the senate, and Representative Mankin of Georgetown, who introduced it in the house, said today they would push the measure and were confident of its passage. The bill has been passed out by committee in both houses with recommendations that it pass. He said a majority of the senators had endorsed it.

"We are not barring voters who bolted last time from the Democratic primary, merely directing that bolters can not participate as candidates for nominations in the primary," Senator Martin said.

"We are doing what we believe should be done to protect the party. It is imperative that we draw the line somewhere. They came in here with the Love 'freedom of conscience' bill, seeking to make the primary ineffective and rubbing the salt in the wound."

"We are not driving anyone away from the primary, merely trying to protect those who remained regular."

Representative Mankin said the threat of the so-called anti-Tammany Democrats would not deter him from doing what he believed is just, and that he intends to do what he can to get the bill through the house.

Preacher Robbed of Church Offering by Highwaymen

McKINNEY, Feb. 4. (P)—The Rev. Albert Rosoff and his father, Daniel Rosoff, were held up en route to Dallas last night after appearing at First Baptist church here. They were stopped on a highway between Allen and Plano and asked to give up the money obtained at the McKinney church. About \$17 was handed over.

The Rev. Mr. Rosoff and his father have been converted to Christianity from the Jewish faith. Large congregations heard them at both services yesterday.

PINT OF BLOOD GIVEN MAN TO SAVE BROTHER

TEXARKANA, Ark., Feb. 4. (P)—More than a pint of blood was given by P. G. Secrest of Bay City, Texas, in a transfusion, to save the life of his brother, R. Y. Secrest, crushed between two railroad cars here Saturday.

Friends of the injured man have offered to supply more blood if it is needed.

COUPLE ASPHYXIATED BY DEADLY GAS FROM STOVE

DALLAS, Feb. 4. (P)—Unaware of danger, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Freeland sat by a gas heater Saturday night and inhaled carbon monoxide gas.

Their bodies were discovered today by Mrs. Freeland's brother, who went to the house to find out why his brother-in-law did not report for work.

President Congratulates Fried.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4. (P)—Captain George Fried, master of the America, received the congratulations of President Coolidge today for his rescue of the crew of the Italian freighter *Friuli*.

PROBING OF LAND OFFICE CONDUCT RESUMED MONDAY

The Committee Recedes Until Thursday After Placing Robison Statement In Record

QUESTION ADMINISTRATION REAPPRAISEMENT ACTS

Robison Says He Has Nothing to Withhold Or Conceal In His Official Life

AUSTIN, Feb. 3. (P)—After placing in the record a request of the committee for certain information with reference to operation of the general land office under the reappraisal acts passed by the 33rd legislature, and Commissioner J. T. Robison's reply, the committee investigating the land office today recessed until Thursday when taking of testimony will start.

Senator Moore at first objected to either the request or Commissioner Robison's reply thereto being given to the press, but later agreed that it should be made public, after E. F. Smith, former assistant attorney general, representing Robison, stated that he and Robison desired "everything developed by the investigation to go before the people of Texas."

"Mr. Robison has served the people of Texas in his present office for one-third of a century and he believes and his friends believe, that his record is clean and white," Smith stated. "He was elected by the people and is under obligation to the people of Texas. We do not want anything done behind closed doors. We want nothing concealed from this committee or the people."

There was some doubt on the part of the committee as to whether it should even consider Robison's statement.

"We asked for the records and not Robison's views on the records," Moore stated.

"I simply want to tell the committee that the records requested are voluminous and that it will be necessary for the committee to employ people to come to the land office and get most of the information," Robison replied.

Smith said Robison's statement constituted a compliance with the request as far as "physically possible."

In announcing that Smith would represent him, Robison told the committee that Smith had "voluntarily called me by telephone and said for old time's sake he would tender me his services and go with me hand in hand down the path of this investigation."

The committee had requested Robison information bearing on operations of the department under the reappraisal acts of the 33rd legislature, as follows: Name of owner of land on date of forfeiture; number acres forfeited; original purchase price; amount of interest due on date of forfeiture; whether lands originally sold with or without mineral reservations; the repurchase price per acre; names and addresses of all purchasers under said act; date of their remittances of the one cent per acre expense charge; amount of remittance, amount of money returned to person making the remittance and date of return; amount of money on hand at this time and where same is located; original book of accounts, bank statements and cancelled checks and books in which entries concerning one cent per acre fund were kept in the land office.

"There is nothing in connection with the execution of said acts that I desire to withhold from your committee," Robison said in his reply. "I am not only willing to, but will frankly and without reserve lay before you everything so far as in my power to do at this time."

In the course of his statement, which gave generally the information requested, Robison suggested "that your committee also have your assistants check up the results of the reappraisal act of 1913, that was operated by a board of three and the result of the other reappraisal act of 1925."

"I was then an employee in the land office," he said. "The disclosures might be illuminating."

"As the work progressed and the deposit to my credit as a special fund in the Texas Bank and Trust company amounted to a few thousand dollars it was placed up on interest in that bank and the Security Trust company," Robison said in part, in discussing the financial end of the information requested.

"As those time deposits were returned to a checking account the principal, together with all interest earned, would be redeposited."

"There were approximately 6,905,000 acres reappraised. To cover the expense of reappraisal the land owners paid one cent per acre which amounted in the aggregate to approximately \$69,052. Deducting from this amount the expense of reappraisal left about \$31,000 to be returned pro rata to the land owners. That is to say each land owner was entitled to about three mills per acre. At the conclusion of the reappraisal there was an amount of money on deposit in the special fund in the Texas Bank and Trust company and the Security Trust company for his rescue of the crew of the Italian freighter *Friuli*."

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The LOW-DOWN

By Jack Lancaster

Place: Grand.
Film: "State Street Sadie."
Stars: Conrad Nagel and Myrna Loy.

Here's nice entertainment and if all underworld stories were equally successful in keeping the viewer's attention concentrated on the opus, movie reviewing would be a much more pleasing task. A new angle is touched in "State Street Sadie" and there is not one dull moment during the entire showing. The story is interesting, the acting is good, and Archie Mayo turned in a good job at the megaphone.

The story is one of those mistaken identity yarns and the hero is seen in a dual role during the first two reels. There are twin

brothers, one of whom is framed in a bank holdup and is blamed for the killing of a policeman when he is really innocent of the crime. A tragedy occurs and this boy's twin takes it upon himself to exonerate his brother from any blame and after a hectic procedure, reveals the identity of the killer and his gang. There is the usual girl in the case and, of course, she aids the hero materially in rounding up the crooks. "State Street Sadie" is a good picture and came through with a very exciting and breath taking finale.

Conrad Nagel is present as the hero and his unfortunate brother, and looks fine. Mr. Nagel seems to be coming into his own now that talking pictures have proved such a hit, due to his unusually fine voice, and it is pleasant news as this fellow has been used to disadvantage long enough. Myrna Loy as the heroine, appears weak and does little more

than just walk through the small part given her. There are so many players who are much more suited for this work than Miss Loy, yet Warner Brothers persist in using her. Perhaps the directors see things in her that are not obvious to the layman, who knows. There must be something. Support is ably handled by William Russell and George Stone. Those liking underworld dramas will likely fall for "State Street Sadie."

S. M. U. STUDENT DIED OF AUTOMOBILE INJURY

DALLAS, Feb. 4. (P)—Clarence W. Bankston, 22, student at Southern Methodist university, died in a hospital here today from injuries received last night when the automobile he was driving skidded and hit a street car.

W. H. Bankston, his brother, of Shreveport, La., and Max Hanna, also of Shreveport, were injured.

SOCIETY NEWS

TODAY'S CALENDAR

2:30 p. m. Lotus club meets with Mrs. Edgar Wright, 219 Lamar avenue. The lesson will be a study of Robinson's "Tristram."

2:30 p. m. The Sorosis club meets with Mrs. Young Mallory. The program will be based on Yezierska's "Arrogant Beggar."

2:30 p. m. The Married Ladies Forty-Two club will meet with Mrs. M. Hicks at 110 South Nineteenth street.

2 p. m. Miss Leota Leverett entertains Mrs. Glenn Turner (nee Bryant) and Miss Elizabeth Gunn, bride elect.

Announce Turner-Bryant Marriage

Mr. and Mrs. John Arthur Bryant of this city announce the marriage of their daughter, Carrie Lu Kathryn, to Mr. Glenn Aridian Turner, on Thursday, January 31.

They will leave this week on a brief trip and will return about February 10 or 15 to be at home at 152 East Houston street.

The bride is a graduate of the high school and junior college here, and has been attending the College of Industrial Arts at Denton this year. She has a host of friends in the city, and was prominent in the student activities of the college here.

Mr. Turner, son of the late W. H. Turner and Mrs. Turner, attended the high school here, and has been connected since with his brothers in the Turner Engineering company here. He has a wide circle of friends among the younger sets of Paris.

Two Honored at Bridal Affair

A double announcement party was given Monday afternoon by Miss Ariel Turner, for the marriage of Miss Kathryn Bryant, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Arthur Bryant, to Glenn A. Turner, on Thursday, January 31, and the engagement of Miss Elizabeth Gunn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Gunn, to Charles T. Turner, the wedding to take place in March.

The house was attractively decorated with Valentine emblems, and as the guests were seated at the bridge tables, they were given large envelopes containing puzzles. When fitted together, these formed pretty hearts, bearing the two announcements. Red tarleton bags of rice tied with white satin ribbons were distributed and the guests showered the two honorees.

Bridge was the diversion for the afternoon, and in the games Miss Charlotte Crook received the high

score prize, an English teapot, and Miss Katherine Rucker for second, was given a pottery flower bowl. The honorees' gifts were wall vases in wrought iron brackets.

The refreshment trays were centered with red and white baskets of heart shaped bon bons. A delightful plate was served. Mrs. J. S. Gunn, Mrs. J. Arthur Bryant, Mrs. Herbert Turner and Miss Katherine Gibbons were guests during the tea hour and those attending from out of town were Miss Grace Cunningham of S. M. U. Dallas; Miss Leota Leverett of C. I. A., Denton and Miss Lucile Bedford of Kidd-Key, Sherman.

LEGION AUXILIARY WILL HAVE MEETING THURSDAY

The American Legion auxiliary will meet Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. V. Williams on Clarksville street.

Members are asked to note the change in time, made in order to enable those who desire to, to attend the cottage prayer meetings in preparation for the Stephens union revival.

LUNCHEON ON WEDNESDAY FOR LAMAR STUDY CLUB

Members of the Lamar Study club will meet Wednesday at 1 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Elbert Goolsby and the regular lesson will follow.

The program will be a study of "In Earthen Bowls" by Nancy Burget Miller.

ANNOUNCEMENT MADE OF COUPLE'S ENGAGEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Gunn announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Mary Elizabeth, to Mr. Charles T. Turner.

The wedding will take place in March.

Larry Tinnin Is Called by Death

Larry Tinnin, a former citizen of Lamar county, died at his home in San Francisco, Cal., Saturday, according to messages received by relatives here.

Mr. Tinnin spent most of his life here, being a member of the well known Tinnin family who lived for a long time in the State Shoals community. He was a nephew of Hugh Tinnin, Sr., of this city.

Before leaving Lamar county, Mr. Tinnin was for a number of years associated with a wholesale dry goods firm as salesman. He later moved to Fort Worth, then to San Francisco where he made his home.

He leaves a sister, Mrs. Mattie Daugherty of Bardsall, Ok.

Scouts Discuss Troop Activities

The Boy Scouts had an enthusiastic meeting Sunday afternoon with a large attendance of Scouts and Scout leaders and a goodly number of visitors. The musical program under the direction of Miss Margaret Ezell is always one of the bright spots of the Sunday afternoon meetings.

A resume of troop activities last week showed an increasing interest among all troops and one of the major objectives on hand at this time was the organization of a Boy Scout band.

Fitting observance of Scout anniversary week, February 8 to 14, is the motto for the Lone Star area council. A number of delightful activities will be arranged.

Arthur Miller Funeral Monday

Funeral services for Arthur Miller, aged 51, of 87 North Sixteenth street, who died Monday morning, were held Monday afternoon at the residence. Interment was in Hopewell cemetery.

CITY COUNCIL MEET MONDAY POSTPONED

Due to the illness of City Solicitor Edgar Wright, the meeting of the city council scheduled for Monday night was postponed, according to announcement made by Mayor Morgan Crook.

SHUT-INS

Miss Rosella Kammer is quite sick with tonsillitis at her home on Ben S. Tate of Sulphur Springs is a patient at a Paris hospital.

Edgar Wright, city solicitor, is ill at his home, 219 Lamar avenue with influenza.

Mrs. B. L. Daugherty is confined to her rooms at 150 Pine Bluff street, suffering from a nervous breakdown.

W. C. Clark is confined to his home, 115 Bonham street, with an attack of influenza.

Mrs. G. H. Ledbetter who had an operation Sunday morning at Lamar hospital, was resting as well as could be expected last night.

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OPEN PSYCHOLOGY LECTURES MONDAY

Dr. Gordon H. Bryant Gives First of Series Under Lion Club Auspices

Dr. Gordon H. Bryant, practical psychologist, opened his series of four lectures here under auspices of the Paris Lions club, with an address on "Sixteen Phases of Consciousness," Monday evening at the high school auditorium, a representative audience being present.

This evening at the same place, at 8 o'clock, he will deliver his second lecture on "How to Keep Your Trade at Home."

In his discussion of the various phases of consciousness, Dr. Bryant used a chart Monday evening to show the three principal stages the "universal reservoir" connected by vibration to the subconsciousness, which in turn, is linked by intuition to consciousness.

Based on these chief divisions, he analyzed the subconscious mind, responsible for "hunches"; the conscious mind, and the power of observation, which he termed the ability to grasp what the mental eye sees.

Analysis, reason, judgement, memory, feeling and imagination, perception, conscience, concentration, and will power complete the cycle, according to Dr. Bryant's theory, and he gave a brief definition of each, and their relative importance.

Dr. Bryant's series of lectures here is designed to demonstrate the value of practical psychology as applied to everyday problems and he uses everyday terms, avoiding the technicalities which are apt to confuse those unfamiliar with the study of psychology.

Dr. W. M. Wright, representing the Lions club, presided and introduced the speaker Monday night.

Wagons to Pickup Garbage Today

All rubbish to be disposed of must be placed in front of the homes Tuesday morning in order that the city wagons may pick up this waste on their one trip around the city Tuesday, according to Mayor Morgan Crook.

This is in accordance with the cleanup campaign being put over by the city as the wagons will make but one trip it is essential that all trash be placed in front of the homes, said Mayor Crook.

Asking Funds For Road Route

Funds are being solicited by Ray Pethybridge, chairman of the Highway Division of the Chamber of Commerce of Lamar county, and Sam Weiss in order to finance steps toward routing of the Broadway of America through Paris.

For some time past, these two men and others interested in the inclusion of Paris on this coast-to-coast highway have been active in promoting the undertaking.

TAX ASSESSMENTS BEING MADE RAPIDLY

Lamar county citizens have until May 1 to make their tax renditions, according to statement made by County Tax Assessor Roy Cass.

Tax renditions have been coming in extra well to date, said Mr. Cass, and the road men out of the assessor's office have been kept very busy.

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"I wouldn't take any amount of money for the good Sargon did me. About three years ago I became terribly run-down, nervous and anemic. My liver was out of order and I nearly always was constipated and bilious. Nothing I ate agreed with me. I tried dieting, but that didn't help. Gas pains would shoot through my stomach and up into my chest. I would taste my food and frequently was so weak and sick I could hardly stay on my feet."

"I was so nervous I couldn't sleep and would stay awake half the night. My breath was bad, my tongue coated and I lost weight and strength. I didn't have any energy. I was susceptible to colds, and they were very stubborn and would hang on for weeks."

"I got some Sargon and right from the first dose I began to feel better. I never saw anything like it. My appetite is good and I eat what I want without a sign of distress. I sleep like a tired boy and in the morning I just feel fine. All my nervousness is gone and I am brimful of new strength and energy and I haven't had a cold since I started taking it."

"Sargon Soft Mass Pills are the most wonderful laxative I ever took. They ended my constipation without upsetting my system or making me sick in the least."

Sargon may be obtained in Paris from Williams-Burgess; in Rockton from Walter Bywaters Drug Co., and in Deport from Crescent Drug Store.—Adv.

Cottage Prayer Meet

One of the series of cottage prayer meetings in preparation for the Stephens revival will be held

Dangerous Business

Our stomach and digestive systems are lined with membrane which is delicate, sensitive and easily injured. It is dangerous business, then, to use medicines containing harsh drugs, pills or minerals, when we are constipated. In addition to the possibility of injuring the linings of our digestive system, these medicines give only temporary relief and may prove habit forming. The safe way to relieve constipation is with Herbine, the cathartic that is made from herbs, and acts in the way nature intended. You can get Herbine at Palace Drug Store.

this afternoon at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. T. H. Courtney, 184 East Washington street.

LAMAR COUNTY PEOPLE AT HOUSTON CONVENTION

Lee Caviness left Monday for Houston to attend the meeting for agricultural agents at the Southern Agricultural Workers' Convention. County Agent A. L. Edmiston and Home Demonstration Agent Miss Lida Cooper are already in Houston to attend this meeting.

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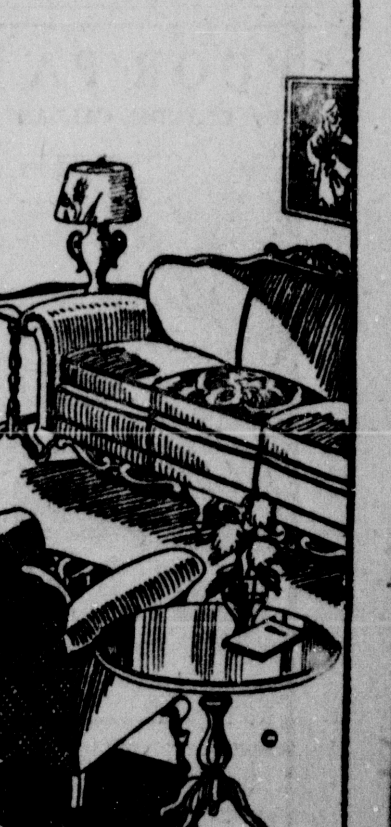
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PREPARATIONS FOR TABERNACLE BEGUN

Ground Will Be Graded and the Work of Erection Will be Started At Once

City Engineer Hicks and his crew of workers began grading the Scott lot Monday preparatory to the erection of the steel framework of the tabernacle for the George T. Stephens revival campaign. The lot will be leveled for the foundation of the structure and will be 100 by 150 feet.

The building committee has secured the services of Lawrence Albright as foreman, and he will have charge of the working crew beginning Wednesday morning. He will also have charge of employing labor, and those who desire to work in addition to the time contributed can see Mr. Albright on the grounds Thursday and Friday.

At the ministers' monthly meeting which was largely attended

Monday with a number of visitors, there was a fine spirit of optimism prevailing in every section of the city from reports given. Jess DeShone, general chairman of the campaign was present and spoke to the men about the fine co-operation he has received in all the preparatory work thus far. Appreciation was expressed for the space which the Dinner Horn and The Paris News has been giving so liberally to the advertising of the meetings.

The Rev. Ray G. Upson, who will assist in the directing of the tabernacle construction, spoke to the ministers and expressed himself as being well pleased with the preparations which have been made for the meetings.

The building committee reports a fine response to the solicitation for workers for erecting the tabernacle. Every man in Paris is being given an opportunity to work a day or pay for a day's work. Work will continue throughout the week.

Bonham St. Has Unusual Crowds

Sunday was an unusual day at Bonham street Methodist church; for in spite of the ground being covered with ice, 142 people came to Sunday school and most of them stayed for church. Still others came to the latter service, giving a good crowd for the morning preaching hour. A large crowd came through the slow falling rain at the evening hour to make a representative congregation at both preaching hours.

"The Sunday school is growing both in interest and numbers, and the folks who came last Sunday are to be commended for their faithfulness," says G. S. Hensley, the superintendent.

"We are expecting 200 people to be present next Sunday as the 'Reds' and 'Blues' are busily engaged getting new members in the contest. The 'Blues' were a little bit behind the 'Reds' last Sunday, but the tide may change next Sunday. The contest promises to be one of real interest as well as of permanent value to our Sunday school."

"Everybody not otherwise en-

gaged is requested to be present next Sunday at 9:45 a. m. when our opening services begin."

Additional Prayer Services Arranged

In addition to the meetings announced Sunday for the series of cottage prayer services at 2:30 this afternoon, these places have been arranged for services at the same hour, in preparation for the Stephens revival.

Mrs. J. S. Evans, East Polk street.

Mrs. J. W. Goree, Pine Mill road.

Mrs. Roy Thompson, Spain street.

Mrs. T. E. Hunt, 219 North Twenty-seventh street.

Mrs. Albert George, 33 North Seventeenth street.

Mrs. Earl Crawford, 76 North Sixteenth street.

Mrs. F. H. Warren, 198 Graham street.

Miss Nora Sumner, 53 North Fourteenth street.

Mrs. Mason, 480 West Washington street.

Mrs. Scott Gean, 376 Sperry avenue.

Mrs. Will Smith, 378 West Kaufman street.

Mrs. John Saffold, 508 Culbertson street.

Mrs. J. E. Hogan, 544 Lamar avenue.

Pastors' Alliance Officers Elected

An unusually interesting meeting of the Pastors' Alliance was held Monday morning at the Liberty National bank with the Rev. Frank Richardson in the chair.

The first item of business was the election of officers, when the following were chosen:

President, P. F. Herndon.

Vice president, F. L. Wear.

Secretary and Treasurer, A. B. English.

Reports were given by the Rev. Mr. Upson, the Rev. Mr. Lee and Jesse DeShone, concerning the revival which is to be city-wide and county-wide, to be conducted by the Stephens evangelistic party.

Each member gave a most encouraging report concerning the plans for the revival campaign.

The following members were present: Rev. Frank M. Richardson, Dr. D. E. McVay, Dr. A. F. Cunningham, Dr. W. M. Wright, Dr. W. L. Wear, Dr. P. F. Herndon and the Rev. A. B. English.

Visitors present were the Revs. Roy Upson and E. Powell Lee of the Stephens party and the Rev. Alpha Shelton, county missionary of the Baptist church, and J. C. DeShone, general chairman of the committee of the Stephens campaign.

CENTRAL CHURCH FEATURES MUSIC

Dr. Wear Preaches on Texts From Psalms And Romans At Sunday Services

Special music for the morning hour at Central Presbyterian church Sunday included the pleasing chorus, "O Lord Rebuke Me Not," and the Rev. Ray Upson's beautiful solo, "The Cross of Calvary." Dr. F. L. Wear's topic was "Man at His Best," his scripture Psalm VIII: 1-9.

"The writer of this psalm," said Dr. Wear "gives man great dignity. God has truly made him with great potentialities. The New Testament corroborates this. Christ says His followers are 'sons and daughters of God.' The apostles say man shall be restored to the image in which he was created, and 'presented before God spotless and blameless.' If this be true then we should pursue the path that leads to the heights. Man reaches one of the highest peaks of his existence when he offers to God a penitent heart. When man comes to the lofty plane of loving, serving, helping, then he is near heaven and near to God in power of life. Man is greatest when he is humble and reverent, and admits in humility his dependence upon God. These things in human life indicate human potentialities, repentance, self-sacrifice, listening to the mysterious Voice of God. When we practice these then shall we realize that attainment that shall make us a 'little lower than God.'"

The members of the Christian Endeavor elected these officers for the year: President, Eleanor Scott; vice president, Edwin Beattie; secretary-treasurer, Charles Crow; corresponding secretary, Frank Hudson.

Mrs. Frank Fuller's appealing solo, "Just As I Am" was the feature of the music for the evening. Dr. Wear's theme "How to Overcome Evil" was based upon Romans XII: 14-21.

"Private ownership, sincerity of belief and a steady purpose to find and do God's will; these command the forces of good so that they fight our battles and win our victories for us. As we rest in God's love, admitting before Him our failings and faults, we may find life's discordant notes hushed, and the way of sin and strife made clear."

Lamar County Girl WEDS COMMERCE MAN

Miss Lucy Pauline Henderson of Minter and the Rev. Weldon Eassey of Commerce were married Saturday, February 2 at Cooper, where the ceremony was read by the Rev. Mr. Nelson.

The marriage was witnessed by

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Braserton Ranked High As Salesman

W. Hoyt Braserton, general agent for the Missouri State Life Insurance company, has just received a letter from John J. Mor-

arty, vice president of the company, that for the year 1928 he ranked 49th in production of paid business among the company agents throughout the country.

Mr. Braserton has also received word that he has qualified in the quarter million class entitling him to a trip to Yellowstone National park where the quarter million group will hold an annual convention in July.

Here to Aid in Boy Scout Band

G. C. Collum of Dallas, expert of the Texas Band Teachers' association, is here to spend a week or two assisting Arthur Layton, director of the Paris municipal band in organizing a junior group to be known as the Boy Scout band.

A meeting will be held this afternoon at the chamber of commerce, similar to that held Monday, to discuss the matter with interested boys and their parents, and it is pointed out that any boy over nine years old, whether he is a Scout or not, may become a member of the band.

About 50 boys were present Monday, and a number of them have already signed up for the new band, sixteen of them having suitable instruments. A number of clarinet and trombone players are still needed, as well as for some other instruments.

Those interested in joining the band should call Mr. Collum at the Gibraltar hotel or Mr. Layton at 2052-J.

J. E. Henderson, brother of the bride. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Henderson of Minter, and was reared in Le county, attending the school at Paris.

Mr. Eassey is a young minister, and in addition to church work, is a mattress factory at Commerce.

They will make the Commerce.

BUSINESS MEETING OF LAMAR AVENUE CHURCH

The regular monthly business session of the officers of the Lamar Avenue Church of Christ will be held this evening at 7:30.

All officers and others interested are urged to be present.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN S. S. WORKERS MEET

Sunday school officers and workers of First Presbyterian church meet this evening at 7:30 at the church.

A full attendance is especially urged.

W. E. Larecy and children of Soper, Okla., visited here Sunday with Mrs. Larecy who is a patient at a Paris hospital.

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Needling Gums

Whitell and Miss Letty were married Saturday at Paris. They will make their home in the south of Bladestown.

Little Loto's Frolics

Added to convince anyone how bad your cough is, use as directed, not satisfied drug-store money, Falc...

Ask any DOCTOR about PERTUSSIN

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It is used in the treatment of whooping cough, croup, and all other respiratory ailments. It is a safe and effective remedy for all ages.

Look Through Your Old Suits

Said Brown to Jones, "Your new suit fits you fine, I'd surely give a lot if it were mine."

Said Jones, "That new stuff is all the bunk, Wifey found this in the attic trunk. It's a last year's suit that I'd thrown away. She just had it cleaned and pressed today."

Cpr. 1926 by J. F. Hunter

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ATTENTION Farmers and Dairymen

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News Ads Get Results

Chief officer Harry Manning says:

"Reach for a Lucky instead of a sweet."



Note: Authorities attribute the enormous increase in Cigarette smoking to the improvement in the process of Cigarette manufacture by the application of heat. It is true that during the year 1928, Lucky Strike Cigarettes showed a greater increase than all other Cigarettes combined. This surely confirms the public's confidence in the superiority of Lucky Strike.

"WHEN I climbed aboard the 'America' after those cold, strenuous hours getting the men off the freighter 'Florida,' there was nothing I wanted so much as a Lucky—'By George,' it tasted wonderful! A Lucky is always refreshing. My tense nerves relaxed, my aching throat was soothed and the whole thrilling adventure just seemed a part of the day's work. As time goes by, and as I look back to that memorable night, I'll always remember the wonderful taste of that welcome Lucky. As I went around to visit the men we'd rescued, I found many of them enjoying Luckies, too. We really couldn't wait to get back to our ship and 'Luckies.' As an actual fact in returning to the 'America' I noticed one of our men* rowing with one hand and lighting a 'Lucky' with the other. There's no flavor to equal toasted tobaccos, and I always prefer Lucky Strikes. There's wisdom in the saying: 'Reach for a Lucky instead of a sweet.' It helps a man to keep physically fit and we who follow the sea must always be prepared for any emergency."

H. Manning
Harry Manning,
Chief Officer, now Acting Captain, "S. S. America"

*The man mentioned by Chief Officer Manning was Boatswain's Mate Aloys A. Wilson.

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NEWS

The LOW-DOWN

By Jack Lancaster
Place: Grand.
Film: "State Street Sadie."
Stars: Conrad Nagel and
Loy. Here's nice entertainment
if all underworld stories
equally successful in keeping
viewer's attention. The show
the opus, movie review
be a much more pleasant
new angle is touched. The
Street Sadie" and the
dull moment during
showing. The story is
the acting is good. The
Mayo turned in as paper
Megaphone. The story is
taken identity is seen in a
first two reels.

YEARNING FOR SILK

that the greatest single item of Amer-
icans is silk. This country has been buy-
ing to the value of around \$4,000,000,000.
is not for the wealthy alone. All classes
it. It may have a wide range in quality
long as it is silk one is properly dressed and
and of self-respect. Silk is the emblem of de-
cency where one is as good as any of the others
has the proper amount of silk on the person.
at is not a reason for wearing them. They're
not silk, therefore not to be tolerated except by
those who look to comfort and warmth regardless
of the material.
In former times to most women, a silk dress
was the purchase of a lifetime and not unlikely it
was both wedding gown and shroud, while the man
confined himself to a necktie, if we except the
"silk hat." But we have progressed far since those
times and silk is commonly used now for articles
which would not have been mentioned then in so-
ciety. We insist on elegance and we get it in silk.
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THE TRAFFIC POLICEMAN

THERE is no reason to growl at the traffic po-
liceman; much less to grumble or try to be
sarcastic. He is not stationed at the curb or in the
middle of the intersection to persecute and pester.
He is no impediment to the liberty which you en-
joy as a free American. When he tries to per-
suade you of the folly of disregarding traffic sig-
nals he is animated chiefly by a desire to save
your life.

The majority of the users of the streets are
pedestrians, part of the time and motorists part
of the time. The strange part of it is that in this
double existence a citizen has two diametrically
opposed viewpoints. When he is driving he de-
mands the pedestrian who is to venture some or absent-
minded; when he is trying to reach the opposite
side curb on foot he is full of resentment against
the motorist who challenges his assumed privi-
lege of unrestricted locomotion. Human nature
passesth understanding.

Fortunately, the jay-walker is in the minority
among pedestrians and the reckless driver is in the
minority among motorists. It can also be said
that the ill-mannered, arrogant and unreasonable
traffic policeman is in the minority among men
in that station. Were these three unpopular mi-
norities exterminated the world would be on the
very threshold of the millennium.

For the careless pedestrian, reckless motorists
and "sour" policemen there is no excuse, except
the inherent shortcomings of mankind. But of the
latter it can be said that there would be fewer of
him if there were fewer of the other two.

BILLION DOLLAR AGE

THE Morgan interests are said to be financing
a gigantic merger of power utilities which will
bring together some two billion dollars in securi-
ties. There is apparently no limit to business com-
binations, mergers, and chains, in the present de-
cade. In other days the government was severe on
big mergers. Today there is a broader view. The
test is service. Are the people served better, more
cheaply, by huge concerns and concentrated cap-
ital than by the old-time independents? In com-
binations somebody must suffer. So long as the
greater number do better by the change, the few
will have to be sacrificed.

WHAT OTHERS SAY

EXTENDING YOUTH

From the Fort Worth Star-Telegram.
SCIENTISTS frequently disagree and sometimes
about such matters as when is the proper time
to die. Recently Sir Arthur Keith of London came
right out and said the natural age for shuffling
off is between 45 and 50, for then is when "age
begins to tell and it is only through the aid of
civilization that the average age is prolonged be-
yond the half-century mark." But one is found to
balance this disheartening theory, in the person of
Dr. Eugene Lyman Fisk, director of the Life
Extension Institute, who affirms that the span of
life can be greatly lengthened beyond the century
mark and implies that such prolongation is a de-
sirable goal.

Neither Sir Arthur's over-cynical nor Dr.
Fisk's highly optimistic theory can be wholly rat-
ifying to those of us who have reached or are
nearing middle life in this stage of the minis-
trations of science. Naturally the Englishman's
view is the less acceptable of the two. To pass out
at 50 when mental powers are likely to be richest,
when one has learned to strain out the small
things of life, leaving the vital ones; when the
world is becoming every day a more wonderful
place to live, seems only a cruel cutting off of the
"last of life for which the first was made." On
the other hand, to live to the century mark can
seem alluring only when science has achieved not
only the goal of stretching out the years but also
of stretching out the years of fullness. Few can
contemplate with pleasure an extreme old age in
which all one's energies must be devoted merely
to keeping alive.

Science undoubtedly will achieve this result.
Life-extension already is a field which encom-
passes youth as well as old age. The century mark
for extreme age will not be so high when "middle
age" is set back to 60 or 70 years.

WASHINGTON LETTER

By Charles P. Stewart

HOOVER HAS WHEELS ALREADY WELLED

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—Herbert Hoover's ad-
ministration will not exactly BEGIN at noon
March 4.

Rather, it will be GOING then.
It will start, if it can be said to start at all,
under full headway. Yet there will be no yank
and jerk—no suddenness—about it.

It simply will BE GOING, as if it had always
been going.

Mr. Hoover has been doing his starting, since
his return from South America, like a brakeman
jumping a swiftly-moving freight train. The
brakeman does not ask the train to stop for, or
slow up, even.

He grabs a rail and runs alongside—the car
partly carrying him and then altogether carrying
him, until finally he shins up the side—and at
last, as the train passes a given point, fairly kit-
ting, there's the brakeman atop, sailing right along
with it, calmly viewing the landscape.

Hardly will the administration have flashed
past noon, March 4, ere Herbert will be seen,
safely on top of it, gracefully swaying with the
motion.

Mr. Hoover has been the object of a good deal
of sympathy because he will have to deal with an
extra session of congress so soon after his inaugu-
ration—in less than a month probably.

Why shucks! All the "dealing" that Mr.
Hoover will have to do with congress for some
time to come he has done already.

What does anybody suppose Herbert was doing
all that confabulating for?—with the G. O. P.
leaders—during the two weeks he spent in Wash-
ington, following his vacation the other side of
the equator.

Mr. Hoover has not done much talking for
publication, to be sure.

However, there are plenty of G. O. P. lead-
ers to testify that he has done all that was nec-
essary in private and listened to a lot from others,
and made all his plans to the last detail.

True, plans do go wrong sometimes, but it
is not often they are put together with the scrup-
ulous care Mr. Hoover has exercised, or that they
are tested in advance, with the same engineering
exactness, to guard against hidden weaknesses,
and accidents.

Faithful G. O. P.-ites will swear that these
plans will stand up under every possible stress or
strain, if plans ever did.

Hundreds, who saw him in the course of his
two weeks in Washington will bear witness to the
ease with which the president-elect gets through
with an almost unbelievable amount of business.

Of course, it is no news that Herbert is an
efficient worker.

Nevertheless, the pre-presidential problems he
has had to solve, in multiplicity, variety and in-
tricacy have seemed enough to floor almost any-
thing human—and they hardly seem to tire Mr.
Hoover.

So the folk who are closest to him say.
(It remains to be seen, if his answers to all
these puzzles are the correct answers.)

Mr. Hoover is not so tremendously popular,
personally, with all his visitors.

There are complaints that he keeps them
moving along past his desk as if they were mere
mechanical parts on an endless belt in a filter
factory.

It makes some of them sore, but they all ad-
mit it's "a wonderful system."

Who's Who—Timely Views

FLOOD CONTROL WORK ASSERTED AS PROGRESSING

By Dwight F. Davis

THE department of war expects to spend \$30-
000,000 next year in levee building and bank
retreatment work on the Mississippi river flood
control project. A total of \$24,000,000 is being
expended in the work for the current fiscal year.

For next year the acquirement of necessary
rights of way for floodways and spillways is be-
ing planned so that work on these can be pushed.
Condemnation proceedings are being started for
the levees and spillway near New Orleans, and for
the levee on the west side of the floodway oppo-
site Cairo, Ill. It is expected that these rights
of way will be secured at an early date and that
actual work on these spillways and floodways will
start promptly.

Work that is being done this year in the Ya-
zoo basin and on the south side of the Arkansas
river will make the Yazoo basin in Mississippi and
the Tensas basin in Louisiana somewhat safer
by reason of higher and stronger levees. Every
year will add to this safety, but full protection
will be secured only after the completion of 10
years work contemplated by the project.

Similarly, work being done on the Atchafal-
aya river levees, as well as the Mississippi river
levees, gives additional protection to the lands on
each side of the Atchafalaya river. The levees of
the Ponchartraine district north of New Orleans
are also being raised and strengthened.

In the upper river in addition to levee rais-
ing and enlarging, much retreatment work is being
done to stabilize the banks for the purpose of aid-
ing navigation and preventing the caving of lev-
ees into the river. About \$11,000,000 is being
spent this year for such work.

PERHAPS A BETTER TOMORROW

It costs between \$5000 and \$6000 a day to op-
erate one United States battleship. One can
hardly hear those figures without thinking of
some of the things that might be done for \$5000
or \$6000 a day. That amount of money in a year
would send two thousand boys and girls to college,
giving each a thousand dollars.

We haven't come to that fair day in the history
of the world when battleships can be aban-
doned, but it will come.

Not many men have laughed at Wall Street.
It's against the rules.

Love at first sight never happens before
breakfast.

Uneasy Street



Diet and Health

By Lulu Hunt Peters, M.D.

"My little girl of 12 eats so much that I fear she has a tape worm. She has three or four help-
ings of everything on the table,
except meat, of which she has
two, and eats four or five and
sometimes six slices of bread, also
milk and dessert. And still she is
thin! The school doctor claims
she should weigh 105 pounds for
her height, and she weighs only
98. How can I tell if she has
worms, as she never complains
and she is never sick, but always
hungry? She eats everything that is
good for her, vegetables and fruits,
and lots of them, and milk. Do
you think I need worry?"

"MRS. U."
Active children need a tremen-
dous amount of food, Mrs. P. The
overweight child eats too much,
especially of the starches and
sugars, but a thin child very rarely
everts. And a thin child
needs more food than the normal
weight.

It is a common idea that a vor-
acious appetite means a tape worm.
It isn't true. The host of a tape
worm is more apt to have a finicky
appetite. But, Mrs. P., if your little
girl had a tape worm she would be
passing segments of it and would
probably be having abdominal
symptoms.

If she is as well in all ways as
you say she is, she must be ex-
tremely active and uses up all the
food she eats for her excess activi-
ties, as well as for her growth. You
would probably get her to gain if
you see that she rests more. Have
her lie down even if she doesn't

sleep, for an hour or so every day.
See that she gets long hours of
sleep at night.

A short time ago I ran a letter
from a mother who had an 18-
year old son and had always
longed for another child. She was
very happy when she found she
was with child again, but her
friends discouraged her, saying it
was a disgrace, as her son was
nearly a man, and she would have
a hard time, etc. My advice to
her was to be happy over the
advent of her baby and not allow
her friends' abnormal ideas to
worry her.

In this morning's mail there
were several letters from readers
who have had similar experiences,
and two of them wrote directly to
Mrs. M., requesting that I send the
letters on to her. So much kind-
ness this little column of mine
shows there is in the world! But,
dear followers, we do not keep
names and addresses of our cor-
respondents, so we cannot forward
the letters. However, I will run part
of the first letter—the other was
similar—for it will be helpful to
many women who are going to
have children later in life. This
is it:

"Dear Mrs. M.: I read your let-
ter in Dr. Peters' column and I felt
I must tell you of my experience,
as it will encourage you."

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PETTY

PETTY, Feb. 4.—Wayland Mil-
lam and wife are here from near
Lubbock.

Ross and Hubert Payne of Dal-
las and Roston visited here yes-
terday.

The Sunday schools at the Bap-
tist and Methodist churches yes-
terday had fair attendance. Rev.
Mr. Wright of Roston preached at
the Baptist church yesterday
morning.

Mr. and Mrs. John Barnes and
two daughters of Paris spent Sun-
day here.

Mrs. Wiley Gurley of Paris vis-
ited here Sunday.

Billy Woodbridge has been suf-
fering with mumps since Sunday.

Mrs. Blue Gabbert has returned
from Sulphur Springs.

The farmers are blue around
here as the continued showers and
the sleet Saturday keeps them
from cutting stalks and bedding
land.

The women have not had a
chance to get cabbage and onion
plants out. There are several who
have nice lettuce in their gardens,
fresh onions and plenty of turnips
and mustard greens.

Mrs. Ralph McFarland and son
of Sulphur Springs are here to
visit her mother.

Mrs. T. L. Hollingsworth went
to Dallas Saturday evening to visit
her daughter.

News Ads Get Results

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If Bladder Weakness, Getting
Up Nights, Backache, Burning or
Itching Sensation, leg or groin
pains make you feel old, tired,
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Lamar Rural School Section

SUPERINTENDENT GIVES SCORES OF COUNTRY SCHOOLS

Photographs of the Buildings Could Not Be Taken on Account of Weather

The scoring and taking the pictures of Lamar county schools were to have been completed by mid-term but the weather has made it impossible to complete the work. There has been 87 rural schools scored, leaving 35 to score. The schools that will be standardized this year are: Howland, Cunningham, Ashland, Bladestown, Fought and Limekiln. The six schools that were standardized last year and whose score will not have to be checked this year are: Minter, Brookston, Ambia, Pleasant Hill, Chicots and Powderly.

Below is a list of schools that have been scored and where the weather conditions were such that taking a picture of the school was impossible.

View Point
Grounds and outbuildings 125, schoolhouse 170, equipment 135, teachers and pupils 250, community 105; total 735.

Shiloh
Grounds and outbuildings 75, schoolhouse 40, equipment 47, teachers and pupils 262, community 57; total 482.

Noble
Grounds and outbuildings 100, schoolhouse 170, equipment 169, teachers and pupils 280, community 115; total 834.

Georgia
Grounds and outbuildings 85, schoolhouse 155, equipment 84, teachers and pupils 265, community 92; total 691.

Faulkner
Grounds and outbuildings 75, schoolhouse 145, equipment 113, teachers and pupils 230, community 62; total 675.

Craddock
Grounds and outbuildings 55, schoolhouse 40, equipment 40, teachers and pupils 225, community 62; total 382.

Walnut Ridge
Grounds and outbuildings 75, schoolhouse 150, equipment 122, teachers and pupils 235, community 62; total 665.

Craig
Grounds and outbuildings 35, schoolhouse 150, equipment 156, teachers and pupils 267, community 110; total 729.

Pleasant Valley
Grounds and outbuildings 72, schoolhouse 125, equipment 80, teachers and pupils 230, community 77; total 585.

Palmetto
Grounds and outbuildings 100, schoolhouse 130, equipment 151, teachers and pupils 270, community 115; total 766.

Pee Dee
Grounds and outbuildings 62, schoolhouse 145, equipment 91, teachers and pupils 215, community 110; total 623.

MANSFIELD STUDENTS AND TEACHER



These are the students of the Mansfield school, with their teacher, Miss Dorothy Whipple. The trustees of this district are L. T. Allen and Leonard Ewer. This school, when graded by Delbert Kyle, county superintendent, scored a total of 579 as these figures show:

Grounds and outbuildings 110 points possible. Location 15, flag and pole 0, playground 15, toilets 0, playground equipment 10, water supply 20, walks 0. Score 60.

Schoolhouse 190 points possible. Construction 35, general repair 18, heating and ventilating 0, cloak-rooms 0, extra rooms 0, auditorium 20, building insured 10. Score 78.

Equipment 200 points possible. Seating 0, blackboard 15, maps and globes 0, window shades 15, primary equipment 15, library 10, drinking and washing facilities 0, miscellaneous 11. Score 56.

Teachers and pupils 320 points possible. Training of teachers 50, certification 20, experience 20, professional spirit 40, relation to community 15, management 60, attendance 35, housekeeping 55, attitude of pupils 25. Score 230.

Community 180 points possible. P. T. A. 0, attitude of trustees 20, length of term 0, teachers tenure 25, teacher's home 0, salary 25, community co-operation 15, special points 10. Score 95.

Total for school 579.

FLAG RAISED WITH PROGRAM AT LIMEKILN
LIMEKILN, Feb. 4.—The Limekiln school spent Friday afternoon in dedicating their new flag pole. This program was given: The Flag of Our Country, Herman Reddell; a song for Flag Day, Loraine Lambert, Coralee Adams, Gladys Stewart; The Flag Goes By, Lois Rade; Old Glory, Katie McFadden; Star Spangled Banner; address, Dr. A. P. Cunningham; flag salute by school; benediction by Dr. Cunningham.

After the program the 4-H girls served hot cocoa.

The club girls of this school are getting ready for Miss Coper to come back February 20. They have fixed up their kitchen by getting a new table and curtains for the windows and dish shelf.

Supt. Kyle, J. P. Ford and Mrs. Carl Cochran from Paris were here for the flag ceremony.

New walks have been on the school ground and new playground equipment put in.

Plans are being made for a Valentine party and a P. T. A. meeting.

Our sand table in the primary room is being enjoyed very much. The primary pupils have made a model of our school. This is very attractive.

MILTON PUPILS WORK FOR HIGHER GRADES
MILTON, Feb. 4.—The seventh grade is studying very hard so as

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To have plenty of firm flesh and the ability to do a big day's work and feel like a "wo-year-old" at night, you must eat three good meals a day, relish your food and properly digest it. If you can't eat, can't sleep, can't work, just take a teaspoonful of Tanlac before meals.

Mr. Joseph A. Culver, of 812 S. Main St., Muskogee, Okla., says: "I was a nervous wreck and forced myself to work and eat. I felt like quitting work before the day was up. On taking Tanlac, my appetite picked up so I could eat anything, soon slept well and gained 10 lbs."

Tanlac is wonderful for indigestion and constipation—gas, pains, nausea, dizziness and headaches. It brings back lost appetite, helps you digest your food, and gain strength and weight. It contains no mineral drugs; it is made of roots, barks and herbs, nature's own medicines for the sick. The cost is less than 2 cents a dose. Get a bottle from your druggist. Your money back if it doesn't help.

HOME ECONOMICS STARTED AT LIBERTY
LIBERTY, Feb. 4.—There has been a fuller attendance in school the past two weeks. There is not so much sickness.

School work in all the grades is progressing nicely. Pupils are interested in their basketball and volleyball games.

Cooking in our home economics work was started at mid-term with a class of twelve girls. Sewing was taught the first half. We have gotten started off well. New oilcloth and other equipment has freshened up the cooking room.

The sixth and seventh grade history classes have been working on their notebooks. The English classes in the seventh, eighth and ninth grades have made an English poster of "Books We Have Read" on which are booklets for individual pupils to record their outside reading. They put their written reports in their English notebooks. Some oral reports are made.

Honor roll last month: Geraldine Locke, Raymond Hamilton;

to graduate to high school. They are all working for their diplomas.

The eighth grade is studying parenthesis in equations.

The ninth and tenth grade students have begun to study the complete arithmetic. They are all interested in the subject.

Chapel exercise was enjoyed Thursday morning. The program was rendered by Miss Katherine Marshall's room. The story was perfect which Virginia Harvey told.

Cletha Lawler, class reporter of seventh grade, Dorris Lawler eighth grade, Lorene Swindell ninth grade, Inez Walker tenth grade.

Honor Roll of Roxton School

Honor roll for Roxton public schools, the six weeks period ending Jan. 25: First grade—Douglas McGrew, Connell Gawthon, Auewell Barnett, Dan Sales, Beth Suddeth.

Second—Ross Graves, Janice Jennings, Ray Maroney.

Third—Dorothy Ray Fry, Mary Katherine Miso, Gladys Suddeth.

Fourth—Marie Meyers, Thurline Wright, Margaret Wright, Noweta Keithley, Charles McFadrigue, J. D. Crafton.

Fifth—Louise McAmis, William McPherson, Dorothy Ingram.

Sixth—Billy Erashers, Farlish Burtner, Genevieve Creed.

Seventh—Reba Bryant, Mary Helen Hawkes, Ray Thomas, Randall McPherson.

Eighth—Evelyn Bess Bobo, Elizabeth Julian, Lura Gregory, Bonnie Belle McCulley, Mary Jo Holcombe, (Mary Jo Holcombe's name was left off previous six weeks by mistake.)

Ninth—Mildred Lawrence, Miriam Fuqua.

Tenth—Rose Margraves, Cubelle Stargerson.

Eleventh—J. D. Howell, Jr., Roscoe Jones, Gladys Lawrence, Robert Richey, Thelmer Springer, Opal Wright.

Bids Wanted for County Depository
Notice is hereby given that the commissioners' court of Lamar county will receive sealed bids from any banking corporation, association or individual banker in said county for selection as county depository and same will be publicly opened at the February term A. D. 1929, same being the 11th day of said month; sealed bids will be opened at 10 o'clock a. m. on said date.

All bids must be on file with the county judge at that day and hour and must be accompanied by a certified check in the sum of \$1500.00 guaranteeing good faith and that the successful bidder will give bond according to law, otherwise to be paid to the county as liquidated damages. The county reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

J. M. BRASWELL,
County Judge, Lamar County, Texas.

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Sumner Parents Urged to Visit School Often
SUMNER, Feb. 4.—Our school is progressing nicely. The seventh grade made a good average on the mid-term exam questions sent out from the superintendent's office. The pupils are planning to enter the interscholastic league in the spring.

Honor roll for third month of school: Ninth grade: Alison Tucker, Edna Dicker, Bertie Everett, Florance Chitty; eighth: Edwin Everett, Faye Briggie; seventh: Willie White, Rex Dicker, Vera Briggie, Robbie Dodson, James Carter, Thelma Baker, Bonnie Hancock.

The Community club has not met for several weeks. We expect to present a program each month. The parents show an interest in the school by attending the club meetings and programs, but the parents are not visiting school as much as we would like.

Sunday school was not very well attended Jan. 27, due to so much illness in the community. With Mr. Houston Griffin as our superintendent we are trying to make our Sunday school larger and more interesting each Sunday.

There was a large crowd of young people at the league social at the home of Hubert Kamer Wednesday night.

The Women's club met at the home of Mrs. Welch Monday afternoon and discussed plans for this year.

LIFE AMBITIONS OF TWO CLARDY PUPILS
Pupils at Clardy have been writing essays, telling their life ambitions. The teacher furnishes, with comment, a couple of them that will be of interest. Here they are:

I want to finish as much of my education as I can out here in the country and then go to Commerce to school. While there I intend to get an elementary certificate and teach school a year or two. After getting experience as a school teacher I shall take training for a nurse. After nursing for several years I want to marry a ranchman and settle down in a small village that will provide all modern conveniences. Then I will be a friend to all as "the world rolls by"—maybe.

Below is another sample of the ambitions of typical school pupils. Your boy or girl may have written this. Check up on your own children and find out what they think of their own future. The girl who wrote above displayed her wisdom by adding, "maybe."

I want to go to school until I am 21 years of age and then enlist in the navy for a period of four years. While I am in the navy I intend to take chemical engineering and at the end of my enlistment should I like the navy I will re-enlist. If I do not like navy life I want to be a forest ranger or with the Western Union telegraph lines.

GOOD SCORE MADE BY SCHOOL AT BURNETT
BURNETT, Feb. 4.—There has been a decrease in attendance on account of bad weather. A few pretty days would be appreciated.

The seventh grade examination, which was delayed by some of the pupils being ill, was given last week. We feel assured that their average would have been much better had they not been absent so much on account of sickness.

Mr. Kyle scored our school Thursday. We are very proud of our score. Mr. Kyle complimented our school very highly, saying it was among the best he had graded.

We are planning to organize a 4-H club as soon as arrangements can be made with Miss Cooper and

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Mr. Edmiston. The pupils are interested, and are planning to do some real work.

Uke Whitten is confined to bed, having sprained his back.

R. M. Robinson is confined to bed by influenza.

Ray Whittell and Miss Letitia Harris were married Saturday night in Paris. They will make their home south of Bladestown.

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BASEBALL MOGULS TO MEET TONIGHT

Called To Select a Manager and Lay Plans For Financing The Club This Year

By Harry Cox

The officers and directors of the Paris baseball club will meet Tuesday evening at the Gibraltar hotel to discuss plans for the coming season. It is imperative that all officials and directors be present, as there are matters of vital importance to be discussed.

Due to bad weather and other conditions very little has been done by the committee appointed at the last meeting, and this work must be mapped out and started. The final league meeting will be held Sunday at Dallas, and at this meeting there must be some money posted—not the guarantee money, but a sum guaranteeing that the clubs will start.

This leaves only a few days in which to make the necessary arrangements if we are to have baseball the coming summer. There is an old saying that Paris never fails, and to this date this has held good. Paris has been in there when others were in doubt. It is becoming harder and harder each season to get the club in this city financed, but it has always been done some way and some how.

The outlook right now is gloomy, but when the right kind of fans get together, put their shoulder to the old wheel, something is always done. The selection of a manager for 1929 is another item of business that will come Tuesday evening. President Hannon has not yet signed a manager, but has several after the job. Dick Kerr was reported to have been signed, but has not put his name on the dotted line yet.

Bennie Brownlow is another

prospect and right now the dope favors the hustling Bennie. Brownlow is at his home at Marlowe, Okla., and writes that he has a number of corking good prospects for 1929—one of them being a pitcher. Brownlow has always had good luck developing youngsters and is known as a hustler on the field.

Texas U. Loses To S. M. U. Quint

DALLAS, Feb. 4 (P)—Championship hopes of the University of Texas were dashed here tonight when the Southern Methodist University five scored a free throw in the last thirty seconds of play to win, 33 to 32.

Aggies Defeat Southwestern
COLLEGE STATION, Feb. 4 (P)—Coach Chick Bassett's Texas Aggie cagers fought an uphill fight to defeat Southwestern University 20 to 25 in a hard fought basketball game here tonight.

Simmons Downs Austin
ABILENE, Feb. 4 (P)—Simmons University won its sixth straight Texas conference basketball victory by defeating Austin College, 14 to 10 here tonight.

Teachers Win at Abilene
ABILENE, Feb. 4 (P)—The North Texas Teachers college defeated Abilene Christian College, 26 to 16 in a fiercely fought basketball game here tonight.

Howard Payne Thins Trinity
BROWNWOOD, Feb. 4 (P)—Howard Payne College handed Trinity University's five its fifth straight basketball defeat here tonight, by a score of 33 to 21.

Burleson Beats Thorp Spring
GREENVILLE, Feb. 4 (P)—Burleson college defeated Thorp Spring junior college 54 to 31 in a basketball game played here tonight.

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Opening	10.15	10.23	10.22	10.09	10.09	10.09	10.09	10.09	10.09
High	10.16	10.24	10.23	10.10	10.10	10.10	10.10	10.10	10.10
Low	10.11	10.19	10.19	10.06	10.06	10.06	10.06	10.06	10.06
Close	10.15	10.21	10.21	10.08	10.08	10.08	10.08	10.08	10.08
New York	Mar	May	July	Oct.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.
Prev. close	19.83	19.87	19.82	19.24	19.24	19.24	19.24	19.24	19.24
Opening	19.75	19.76	19.42	19.18	19.18	19.18	19.18	19.18	19.18
High	19.75	19.81	19.45	19.18	19.18	19.18	19.18	19.18	19.18
Low	19.59	19.65	19.30	19.00	19.00	19.00	19.00	19.00	19.00
Close	19.59	19.65	19.30	19.04	19.04	19.04	19.04	19.04	19.04
Chicago Grain Close	Mar.	May	July	Oct.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.
Wheat	125 1-8	95 1-2	111	111	111	111	111	111	111
Oats	128 3-8	99 3-8	101 1-4	101 1-4	101 1-4	101 1-4	101 1-4	101 1-4	101 1-4
July	120 1-4	101 1-4	103 7-8	103 7-8	103 7-8	103 7-8	103 7-8	103 7-8	103 7-8

Cotton Letter
NEW YORK, Feb. 4.—Reports from textile centers continue to read unfavorable and give indications that production is exceeding distribution and what sales are being made are concessions.

During this period of dullness it can be expected that prices will continue in their course of backing and filling.

It is most pronounced that some new incentive is needed to bring about any change in the situation.

Fort Worth Livestock.
FORT WORTH, Feb. 4 (P)—The cattle and calf supply today was very light.

Very few slaughter yearlings included in the receipts but trade was a little slow, with evidence of a narrow demand. Early sales at \$10.75 and less.

The supply of cows very light—very few loads of any one class. One load sold to an order buyer at \$5. Packages sold steady. The better kind of cows sold at \$7 and \$8. Canners and cutters at \$4.50 and \$5.75.

The calf supply was light but found buyers willing to pay higher values that ranged from a quarter to half dollar higher with two loads of good heavy calves selling at \$11.50, bulk of the cull calves around \$6.50.

Native schools for the teaching of the best ways to tap rubber trees are to be opened in Sumatra.

FINAL GAMES FOR COUNTY LEADERS PLAYED TONIGHT

Milton, Cunningham and Paris To Contest on the Court at Fair Park

Milton, Cunningham and Paris High School basketball five, winners of the Rural, Class B, and Class A Divisions of the Inter-scholastic League respectively, battle tonight at the Fair Park Coliseum to decide who will represent Lamar county in the district meet to be held in Paris the latter part of this month. Milton and Cunningham came through with the winning honors at the recent elimination tournament at the coliseum and Paris High is the only Class A. high school in the county.

All three teams have been put through rigid workouts, ironing out the loose spots in their play and each coach has announced that his respective team is ready for the whistle. Milton and Cunningham both have fast quintets and the Wildcats are the nearest aggregation to represent Paris High in many seasons. With this in view tonight's contests should prove exceptionally interesting.

Paris will meet Milton in the first game and Cunningham will take on the winner of this match. The first game is scheduled for 6:30 and a general admission of 10 cents will be charged for all.

JUNIOR COLLEGE LOSES TO GRANT

Had Good Practice For Meeting With Arlington Thursday And Friday

Paris Junior College Dragons lost to the Grant Independents, 38 to 20, in a game free from thrills in the Grant high school gym Monday night. LeFevres, Grant center, led the scoring with 14 points, while McDowell, Dragon forward, trailed with 8. The fray was rough throughout and the Paris boys had difficulty in handling the ball.

The Dragons journey to Arlington to meet the North Texas Aggies, Thursday and Friday in a couple of conference games. Arlington is touted to be the classiest quintet in the conference and these games should show what chance Paris has of coping the conference flag.

Athletic Director Bob Berry has kept his eyes on these two games for some time and has drilled the Dragons consistently on the style of play used in their last few games. The junior college boys have been playing a fast breaking game and have proven tough opposition for all invaders.

Air Mail Used for Advertising "Lucky Strikes"

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—More than \$4000 worth of airmail postage stamps, affixed to a single shipment in three special United States mail planes, were necessary to complete one of the most rapid distributions of advertising material ever undertaken.

The costly air mail shipment consisted of electroplates for reproduction of endorsement of Lucky Strike cigarettes by Captain George Fred, heroic commander of the S. S. America, who for the second time in three years had just received a spectacular welcome on returning from a rescue at sea. Three years ago his consummate seamanship saved the crew of the freighter Antiope from certain death and on January 22 this year he once again effected a daring rescue, as the freighter Florida was sinking.

Captain Fred, a regular smoker of Lucky Strikes, signed his endorsement of the cigarettes as soon as he reached port. The copy was transmitted to Cincinnati, Ohio, a central distributing point, where 250 electroplates, each weighing nine pounds, were promptly prepared. Through special co-operation of the postoffice department, three reserve mail planes were ordered out to rush the shipment westward to the Pacific coast newspapers.

The pilots entrusted with the costly cargo, each carrying about 700 pounds, were Charles Wehrung, Frank Merrill and Warren Vine.

ROXTON
ROXTON, Feb. 4.—The son of Hugh McCloud who has pneumonia, is better.

Ross Payne came from Dallas for a week end visit with his mother.

Mrs. Pearl Whipple and Misses Dorothy and Evelyn Whipple of Petty spent the week end here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Crafton of Dallas were week end guests of home folks.

Dr. J. R. Creed took Dr. M. H. Maness to the sanitarium in Paris Saturday. Mrs. Maness telephoned today that he is no better.

The grandparents are informed that a daughter has been born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lindsey of Lubbock, named Margery Ann Louise. The mother was Miss Virginia McCann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McCann who live southeast of town.

Mrs. A. H. Bywaters recently enjoyed a visit from Mrs. Leslie Lindsey of DeKalb whom she had not seen in years.

Miss Edna Landers was sick during the week end.

Mrs. Roy Jones was taken to the sanitarium in Paris suffering

Perfect Score



Buffalo Smith, world famed trapshooter, who recently made a perfect score at the traps at Sea Island Beach, Ga., where he is officiating at the first annual trapshooting meet, Jan. 30-Feb. 1.

from acute kidney trouble, following influenza.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Jones spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Smith Denton, near Paris.

L. C. Dowlen brought his mother and Miss Lucile Dowlen from Petty Sunday afternoon to visit Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Ingram.

Due to sickness in families and the bad weather, the Baptist ladies did not meet at the church Monday afternoon.

HOWLAND

HOWLAND, Feb. 4.—Albert Cunningham brought Grandmother Jones of Paris here Friday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Turman of Minter, Miss Claire B. Turner of Commerce spent the week-end here.

Nellie Kirkham of Paris spent the week end with her parents.

Sam Waits is very sick with pneumonia at the home of his son Olan Waits.

Mrs. Harry Rea of Dallas spent the week end with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Wilson from Lubbock came Thursday and they will farm in this community this year.

Johnny Coplin of Dallas spent the week end here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Jones, Alma Smith, Margaret Jones, Murry Roberts attended singing in Ambia Sunday night.

Robert Lee Matthews is sick.

DAN THOMAS FUNERAL HELD MONDAY AFTERNOON

Funeral services for Dan Thomas, aged 48, who passed away in Terrell Sunday, were held Monday afternoon at the Manton-Fry funeral home with the Rev. F. M. Richardson, of the First Methodist Church, and the Rev. W. A. Arnold, of Pattonville, officiating.

Interment was in Evergreen cemetery.

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Fair Directors Meet Next Week

Directors of Lamar fair association will hold their regular monthly meeting at 7:30 Thursday evening, February 14, at the chamber of commerce building.

Plans for the 1929 fair catalogue will be considered with some important changes and additions, and a full attendance is urged in order to have a representative discussion.

The monthly meetings were decided upon at the annual meeting of the directors following the association's business session, and the second Thursday in each month was named as the date.

FUNERAL SERVICES ARE HELD FOR MRS. STELL

Funeral services for Mrs. M. B. Stell, aged 67, who died Sunday afternoon at her home on Paris route 6, were held at the home Monday morning with the Rev. J. Malpue officiating.

Interment was in Hopewell cemetery.

Mrs. Stell is survived by her husband and several children.

BROTHER-IN-LAW OF MRS. W. E. McMURRY DIES

Mrs. W. E. McMurry received word Monday of the death of her brother-in-law, E. J. Temple at Boulder, Colo.

Mrs. Temple has visited here often and will be remembered as Mrs. Smothers.

BLOSSOM

BLOSSOM, Feb. 4.—Presiding Elder Kiker was here Saturday afternoon and presided over the second quarterly conference at the Methodist church. On account of illness the pastor Rev. J. L. James was unable to attend but the attendance of officials was good and reports showed the Blossom church progressing nicely.

Sunday morning at 11 o'clock Mr. Kiker preached, but no services were held in the evening.

The revival meeting began Sunday morning at the Baptist church conducted by the pastor, Rev. J. D. Cheatham. Only evening services will be held promptly at 7 o'clock. Everybody is invited to Mrs. Helen Williams, who fell Saturday and broke a hip, was taken to the Paris sanitarium. Her daughter, Mrs. W. J. Chester, is with her and her son, Herman

Williams of Houston, will arrive today.

these services, which will continue through the week.

Rev. J. L. James, Methodist pastor, has been confined to his home several days with influenza.

Mrs. J. W. Abels went to Paris Monday afternoon to attend the funeral of Dan Thomas, a cousin.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Johnson were guests of Mrs. Johnson's parents at Bladestown Sunday afternoon.

The young people were entertained Saturday night at the home of J. D. Dickey. The evening was spent with music and games.

Dr. and Mrs. F. M. Lenoir of Paris were in Blossom Sunday afternoon.

of Austin, to pay each land owner the amount he was entitled to receive.

"In September, 1928, I began to refund by check the sum due each person. That work was done personally at home at night. After devoting long night hours to that for some time, other duties drew me away and in a few days the Supreme court rendered its final decision in the university highest bidder leasing act of 1925. Then, in obedience to the decision of that court I felt the obligation upon me to proceed to place the university land on sale for oil and gas purposes. For the lack of sufficient help in the land office to meet current demand resulting from the Governor's veto of seven clerks out of the legislative allowance two years ago, I was under the necessity of performing that task personally. That labor being completed November 10, I will assume your memories of subsequent events will concur in the conclusion that I have scarcely had any time to spare for the matter now under discussion. As soon as my time will permit, the refunding of the remainder will be resumed.

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Residence Badly Damaged Monday

A blaze starting by an overheated flue badly damaged three rooms of a four-room dwelling, and was the cause of a general alarm at 10 o'clock Monday morning at the residence occupied by Ernest Warren on South Twenty-fourth street.

The fire started in the front room while Mrs. Warren was in the rear and by the time she noticed the smell of smoke, the entire room was in flames. Before the firemen could extinguish the blaze the rooms were damaged badly and the furnishings were destroyed. Only one line of hose was used to extinguish the flames, according to Chief Moss.

WHITE ROCK

WHITE ROCK, Feb. 4.—There was no Sunday school on account of bad weather.

H. C. Richey and family spent

Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Rutherford.

All of the sick folks are improving. Hubert Lovell has returned from Clarendon where he has been working.

Most of the farmers have some stalks cut and some land bedded around here.

W. D. Owens of Honey Grove visited his daughter Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kilpatrick are recovering from their burns.

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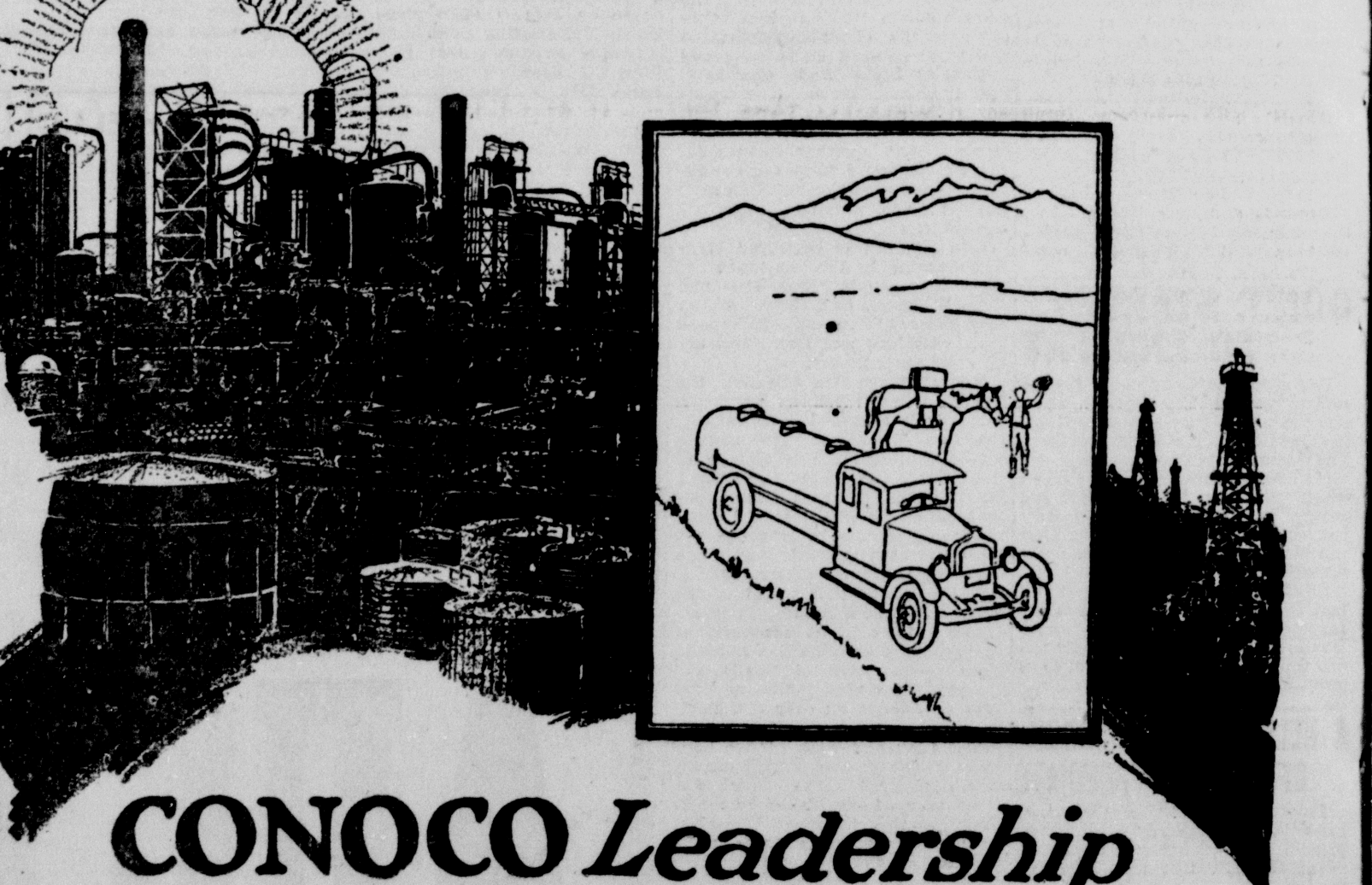
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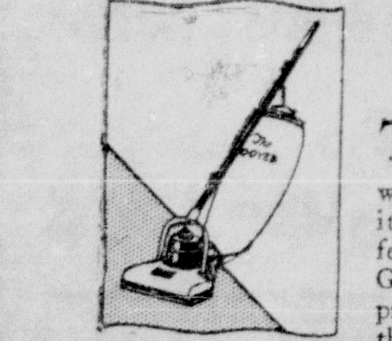
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Chapter 10.

The dancing school at Selikoff's summer camp was to open on Monday morning. True to his promise, Harry Ford came in his rattling, sign-bedecked little car to take Betty to the school on Sunday afternoon.

She was embarrassed before he came, remembering the two kisses he had given her the last night she had been out with him; but she was first surprised, then piqued, that he made no reference to the occurrence.

Perhaps the kisses had meant little to him, although they meant much to her. She determined to take her cue from him. They chatted of immaterial things all the twenty-five miles to the school. As he drove through the gate he put his hand on the button of the raucous-voiced horn of the little car and kept it there until they pulled up in front of the main building.

Girls rushed out pell mell like bees out of a disturbed hive, hesitating when they realized that the car brought a newcomer to the school, instead of a pupil who



"Here I bring you a future Pavlova."

had been with them in the winter. Selikoff followed them in a more

here, Betty. We have no formality of dress or deportment. There is a certain routine of work to be done, and we all do it with a will. But it is all informal and friendly, including the callings down I give the girls. But you will find out all about that on Monday.

"Lucy, show Betty around, and tell her where to take her things." A plump little blonde girl picked up Betty's bag against her protest and took her into the second largest building, the dormitory where the girls slept.

On one side of the room was a row of comfortable-looking single beds of white enamel. Opposite each was a dresser with mirror and chair. Lucy helped Betty put away her clothes, pushing the suit case under her bed. Then she showed her the shower baths, half a dozen of which were at the end of the room, and suggested they go around the building and grounds.

The main building had one large room with a hardwood floor and a big fireplace at one end. Around it were mirrors, chairs and divans, while the rugs and decorations were of such variety as to show they had been gathered from many corners of the globe.

Betty learned that Selikoff had traveled extensively in her professional capacity. Her artistic touch extended to the landscape gardening and decorations of the various buildings. Her mother, the chaperone and housekeeper, was a fine white-haired Irish woman who mothered all the girls. Mrs. Casey was as proud of her name as was Selikoff of hers.

Near the main building was a large, open-air dining tent with a kitchen attached which was not open. From this kitchen ran a covered walk to the studio, so meals could be served there in inclement weather.

There were twenty-five or more acres in the camp, through which ran a tinkling brook which fed the swimming pool. The grounds were surrounded by a thatched fence of split poles woven with wire, which served to keep the curious from the dancing and swimming girls.

The swimming pool was concrete at one end only. There were the diving boards and the steps where the swimmers emerged from the water, but the other three sides of the pool were bordered with trees and shrubs, giving it a natural beauty surpassing any formal pool.

Betty had learned swimming in high school, and was delighted at the prospect.

"We almost live in bathing suits," explained Lucy. "I hope you have several of them, for we dance and swim in them."

"I have," said Betty. "Lois told me what to get."

"Oh, you are a friend of Lois!" exclaimed Lucy. "Are you going to dance professionally, or are you just taking it up for fun?"

"I want to improve my figure and my grace!" laughed Betty.

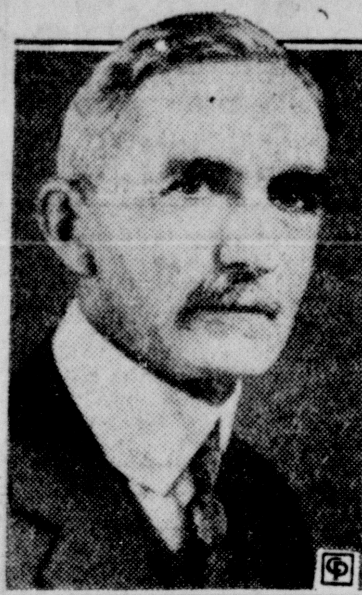
"Gosh, you are lucky!" replied Lucy. "I have to dance in a chorus all winter to get money enough to come here in the summer in the hope that some day I can do solo work. I am poor as church mouse and have to fight fat every minute. I wish I were thin as you."

Betty was thrilled to know Lucy was one of the chorus girls she had heard so much about. She had imagined them covered with diamonds and bathing only in champagne, but this pretty girl was very different from her mental picture of chorus girls in general.

Many old and new pupils arrived, and when they sat down at dinner that night Betty counted 26 girls, her associates for the next three months. She smiled as she remembered her mother's dread of her associating with these girls. Some were dancing teachers, others were social workers in charge of play-grounds, and about half of them were girls on the stage or in night club choruses.

Betty could see no difference in manner or conversation between these girls and any other chattering group of girls anywhere. Mrs. Casey sat at one end of the table and Selikoff at the other. Betty heard Mrs. Casey call to one girl, "Myrtle, if you must rest your elbows on something, I will find you an arm chair!" The girl took her elbows off the table, but did not seem to resent the criticism.

May Succeed Jardine



Frederick B. Mumford, dean of the college of agriculture, at the University of Missouri, is among those mentioned for the post of secretary of agriculture in President-elect Hoover's cabinet.

Eleven o'clock was bed time on Saturday and Sunday nights, and ten o'clock on the other nights. Betty's bed was next to that of Lois, who came in after dinner. Betty was glad of this, as it made her feel less lost in this crowd of girls.

Long after the lights were out, Betty lay sleepless, but finally went to sleep, to be aroused by a bell and Lois shaking her shoulder.

"Hurry up, sleepy head! We have exactly five minutes to dress and get the bar!" Lois tossed aside her pajamas, and grabbed the scanty black bathing suit that was almost a uniform at the school.

At home Betty always lay a comfortable fifteen minutes in bed after waking, so all this sudden energy in the dormitory was bewildering. And so was the absolute indifference with which the girls dashed around in various degrees of nudity. They were as unconscious of their bodies as Betty was conscious of them, so she felt she must have the wrong slant.

"Hey, you, that wasn't a 'Per-haps' bell. That was a 'No Foolin' bell," somebody yelled at her. Half a dozen girls pulled the covers off, yanked her out of her pajamas and into a bathing suit, tied her hair up with a ribbon and ran her out of the dormitory and up the dewey grass on the hillside.

(To be continued.)

OLD RESIDENT OF HONEY GROVE DEAD

HONEY GROVE, Feb. 4.—Mrs. Sallie Pirtle, age 73, of Honey Grove, who was visiting in Dallas, died Monday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. L. Baker, of Dallas. The body will be brought to Honey Grove this afternoon and the funeral will be Tuesday. Mrs. Pirtle is survived by five sons, Japp, of Honey

Grove, Murray and Newt of Dallas, Jeff of Hedley, and Honley of Oklahoma City, and three daughters, Mrs. W. L. Baker and Mrs. Sam White of Dallas and Mrs. John Matson of Ft. Worth.

A. V. Michael of Celina, formerly of Honey Grove, who was hurt in an automobile accident Thursday, died Friday night and the funeral was held in Celina Sunday afternoon. Mr. Michael is survived by his wife and an eight-year old daughter. Many Honey Grove

relatives and friends attended the funeral.

Miss Eugenia Daniel of Fort Worth spent the week end with her parents here.

Mrs. Vince Mimms died Saturday at her home between Honey Grove and Windom. The funeral was held at the home and the burial at Ladonia Monday.

Gus Wood, who has been sick some time is better and able to be up.

Dr. and Mrs. Y. B. Harland of

Bonham were in Honey Grove Sunday.

Joe Meade is sick. Shelby Littrell has a relapse of influenza.

Charlie Smith went to Ft. Worth Friday for a visit.

W. E. Sheffield who is in the Paris Sanitarium is getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Milne Denison of Louisiana are visiting Mrs. H. E. Neblett and family.



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